

Vermont Daily Transcript.

THURSDAY, MAY 28, 1868.

Local Items.

REMEMBER the concert this evening at Academy Hall.

HON. J. S. MORRILL and GEO. F. EDMONDS have our thanks for congressional speeches.

MR. A. S. HYDE'S Grocery Store on Main Street has lately received a fresh stock of the best of groceries from New York and Boston. A thorough-going, reliable business man as he is, Mr. Hyde deserves the large patronage he is receiving.

THE WELDEN SPRING.—We noticed last week the fact that the proprietors of the Welden spring were building a bottling house for the convenience of their business, but we had not then made any personal examination of their premises, in which we are behind the majority of the people of our place and vicinity. A personal inspection of the place is in the nature of pleasant recreation, and is well worth the time of any one. The building now going on towards early completion is placed over the spring, and is twenty by thirty-six feet upon the ground, with the addition of piazza and shed, and is one and a half stories in height. The ground floor is being divided into three rooms; one, on the north end, in front of which is a pleasant piazza, is 20 by 11 feet, and will be fitted for the reception of visitors, who despite the present comparative inconveniences, are numerous and constant; one, the middle room, will be 20 by 12 feet, and will contain the bottling and corking apparatus; and the south room will be used for packing the bottles of water, and will have an inclined railway leading to a platform beside the street, for the convenience of the transportation department. The shed adjoining is intended for the storage of empty boxes, preparatory to their use, and for marking we presume. In the partition between the bottling and packing rooms there will be two openings, above tables on each side of the partition, through one of which the empty bottles will be passed into the bottling room, and through the other the filled bottles will be returned to the packing room. The upper story will be devoted to the manufacture of boxes for the bottled water. The arrangements of the rooms for the business to be carried on, and for the convenience of visitors, are excellent. A house adjoining is already completed, to be occupied by the superintendent of the establishment, and the workmen. The lot upon which the spring and buildings are located is on the corner of Edwards and Welden streets, and will be so arranged and graded as to afford ready and easy access at all times to carriages.

Until we visited the Welden Spring, and from that point took in the view of the village, we had no idea of the loveliness of the scene, which recalled vividly to our mind the lines of Emerson: "Around this lovely valley rise The purple hills of Paradise."

The hills to the east of the village, the mountains across the lake, the lake itself shining like a broad mirror, and near at hand the village embowered amid the trees, made a picture not to be excelled for beauty; and the place from which we took in the view seemed to us admirable in its power of conveying pleasure and health. If the famed fountain of Youth which Ponce de Leon sought to find earnestly and unsuccessfully, can reasonably be supposed to exist anywhere on this steady-going planet we do not know of any reason why we have not visited it; for if a place where the most beautiful in nature and the most beneficial for the body will not cease back bloom and the pulses of our lost but not forgotten youth, then we may well attend an auction with Mr. Toodles, and buy what he bought; for it "will be handy to have about the house."

HON. VICTOR ATWOOD has commenced tearing down his old store on Main Street preparatory to the erection of a new one. As this old building has served the purposes of trade since 1820, and has been the place of business of Mr. Atwood since 1829, it would be strange if in overhauling it some ancient relics were not found. Accordingly, the curious may see an ancient specimen of a six-spindle spinning Jenny, which has been uncovered from its long slumber in the old store, and which is probably about as old as any in existence. It is a curiosity worth looking at, in the light of modern improvements.

A HANDSOME CAR.—The Rutland Herald of Wednesday says:

We, yesterday, had the pleasure of inspecting a mail and smoking car which has just been placed on the Rutland & Burlington Railroad. It is finished in black walnut and chestnut, furnished in a handsome style, and provided with all the modern conveniences for the accommodation of the public as well as the Post Office Department. It was built at the Company's works in this place, and reflects much credit upon the skill of Mr. M. M. Crooker, master wood-workman of the Company, under whose supervision it was completed.

Have you seen Prangs Chromo? "Old Oaken Bucket," "Falconer and Bride."

ANOTHER BURGLARY.—On Wednesday night an attempt of the bold kind was made to rob the store of Messrs. Shattuck and Stranahan. An addition has been put up on the back end of the store, and a sash without glass was put into the window place. For some reason the door of the back room had also been left open, so that ingress by the back way into the store was not a difficult matter. Some one had evidently taken a view of the situation, and determined to profit by it. About midnight the clerk, Mr. Girard, who sleeps in the store, was awakened; and a demand made that he should open the safe, or have his brains inconveniently scattered. But Mr. Girard voted early to do neither, and attacked the intruder, who was a large man, so vigorously that he bent a hasty retreat, attended from the outside, it is thought, by one or more companions.

SWANTON SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.—The town of Swanton is doing a splendid and patriotic work in memory of its soldiers sacrificed in the war of the rebellion. Through the persevering efforts of Col. A. B. Jewett, and Col. V. G. Barney, officers of the town last year, \$2,000 were voted for the purpose of building such a monument as should fittingly commemorate the sacrifices of that town in the war, and the work is now going on in the marble shop of Mr. David Perry, in that town. The design was made, we are informed, by Col. Jewett and Barney, and the work is in course of execution by Mr. Perry. The material is Isle La Motte marble, gray, to be surmounted with a beautiful statue in white marble. The design, which we have not yet had the pleasure of examining, but which is spoken of as eminently appropriate, is for a base, pedestal, and statue. It will be completed in the course of a few weeks, and will be erected, we doubt not, with appropriate ceremonies.

OUR NEW YORK MAIL.—During the past winter our people have not received their N. Y. papers until the next day after their issue. It was hoped that the summer arrangement of the trains of the Rutland Railroad would abate this inconvenience, and give us our N. Y. papers by the evening train, but under the present arrangement just published, our public are just where they have been all winter—compelled to wait until the morning train for their New York Mail. We hope Gov. Page don't mean "to fight it out on this line" all Summer—Burlington Times.

The people of St. Albans have been, and are, similarly inconvenienced. It seems to us there is no good and sufficient reason why the New York papers should not reach Burlington and St. Albans the same day they are printed. During the past winter New York papers as a general thing have not reached us until the noon of the day after they were printed, and not infrequently, until the evening of the day after. They have reached St. Albans for a week or two past early in the morning of the day after publication, which is somewhat of an improvement. They ought, as we said above, to arrive the same day of publication.

We clip the following from a communication in the Champlain (N. Y.) Journal:

What a pleasant village St. Albans is, with its many fine residences—and then its Park. How sadly our first settlers missed it in ignoring parks. They scarcely left grounds suitable for cemeteries, so greedily were they to turn an honest penny. Stopping at Swanton, we called at the studio of our friend, I. Daniel Perry, sculptor, now actually engaged upon a massive piece of marble in removing the veil that has hidden for eternity his noble conception of a colossal statue of the Goddess of Liberty, to be dedicated to the thirty-one "Braves" who went forth from Swanton to die upon the battle field in the sunny south for their native land. We commend to the public Mr. Perry. He has applied to the committee for the McGee monument. He is a native of Swanton and is destined to rival Powers.

The Fenians.

The indications and daily increasing that there will be a other Fenian invasion at an early day. We do not wish to unnecessarily alarm our Canadian neighbors, but the information we have received from apparently the most authenticated sources compels us to this conclusion. The following special despatch to the Boston Journal is significant:

CONCORD, N. H., May 20, 1868.

The friends of Irish liberty are holding a meeting in Rumford Hall this evening. Martin Fitzgerald presides, with Joseph Gillis as Secretary. Capt. John Driscoll of Providence, of the Irish revolutionary army, is now making a stirring address. He will be followed by John Rafferty and others. The friends of Ireland and the supporters of Gen. O'Neil in this city are called upon to furnish fifty men for the revolutionary army, which are promised to be in readiness when called for. The meeting is quite spirited as it is well attended. Delegates will probably be chosen to-night for the State Convention of Irishmen to be held in Manchester on the 18th of June.

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The Markets.

ST. ALBANS MARKET, May 29, 1868.

APPLES, dried, per bushel	50	60
" " " " " "	10	12
BERRIES, per bushel	3 00	4 00
" " " " " "	25	30
BEANS, per bushel	10 00	14
" " " " " "	1 30	1 50
BUTTER, per cwt.	2 75	3 00
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CHEESE, per doz.	11 00	9 00
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BOSTON MARKET, May 28.

Flour.—The Market for Flour has been rather dull during the week and prices have eased off a little for nearly all grades, particularly common and medium. The favorable accounts of the crops and the limited export demand for Europe make holders more anxious to realize, and there is a fair prospect of lower prices at an early day. The sales have been at 8 75 to 9 50 for Western superfine 10 75 to 10 50 for common extras 10 75 to 12 50 for medium extras and good bakers' brands; and 13 to 14 75 for good and choice, including Genesee, Ohio, Indiana and Michigan.

Grain.—Corn continues quite dull. The trade is purchasing only in small lots, not wishing to stock up to any extent, there is so much uncertainty on the market. The sales have been at 1 25 to 1 25 for Southern and Western yellow; 1 20 to 1 25 for Western white; and 1 15 to 1 18 for White. Unusual lots of yellow are selling at a considerable discount from these figures, according to quality.

Cattle.—Market for Pork is dull, the trade purchasing only in small lots, and the dealers are selling the bulk of their packing in Western markets at much higher prices than could be realized here. The sales have been at 23 to 24 for prime; 22 to 23 for heavy; and 22 to 23 for clear and extra clear. Beef is dull and has been in limited demand, sales of mess at 20 to 22; extra mess at 22 to 23 50; and family extra at 20 to 25 50 (prime).

Poultry.—Prices of Butter have further declined, but near the close there is a steadier feeling, with less pressure to sell. The trade have purchased moderately, and we quote sales of good and choice New York and Vermont dairies at 32 to 34, and common and inferior at 25 to 28 75. Old Cheese is firm and remains the same, but the new cheese arriving is of a poor quality and sells at low prices. We quote sales of new from 6 to 12, and old from 15 to 17 75, including factory and fancy. White Beans have been in fair demand, with sales at 5 50 to 5 75 for common and good blue pod and marrow, and 5 75 to 6 for extra pea.

SITUATION WANTED.

A young man who will work for the interest of his employer. Has had experience in section of Dry and Fancy Goods and Retail Grocery. Salary not so much as when in present situation. Address for interview, box 176, St. Albans Post-Office. d13-4t

LOST.

NEAR the Passenger Depot in St. Albans, Friday evening, May 22d, a pocket book containing a small amount of money and papers of no value to any one except the owner. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at this office. d13-2t

FOR SALE.

My house and lot on Bank Street is offered for sale. The house was recently built and is in good repair, and has all the modern conveniences. My orchard is well supplied with a variety of apple and pear trees in bearing condition. For further particulars enquire of E. F. PERKINS. d14-4t

I HAVE bought Mr. J. H. Leonard's interest in the firm of Leonard, Brainerd & Co., and will continue the business at the old stand where I shall be glad to see old friends and many new ones. All accounts due Leonard, Brainerd & Co. will be settled by me and must be paid immediately. R. BRANERD, d14-2w

St. Albans, May 9, 1868.

Millinery and Dress Making.

Miss Dumas would respectfully announce to the Ladies of St. Albans and vicinity, that she has just returned from market with a

NEW and STYLISH ASSORTMENT

MILLINERY GOODS

CONSISTING OF

BONNETS AND HATS:

FAWN, NORMA, LA ROSE, CRESCENT, CONSTANCE, CHATEAU, SUNNYSIDE

FRENCH CORSETS, THREAD LACE COLLARS, MORNING SETS, KID GLOVES, HEAD BANDS.

LACES, FLOWERS, RIBBONS, EMBROIDERY, FRINGES, GIMP, BUTTONS, &c., &c.

Our stock of Mourning Goods is complete. Our rooms are neat and tidy, and visitors and customers will find a pleasant welcome to them. Hats and Bonnets in great variety, and at low prices.

ROOMS over FULTON MARKET,

MAIN STREET, St. Albans, Vermont. May 24, 1868. d7-4t

CUPS FOR SPRING JUST RECEIVED AT

WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

SHIRTS, Suspenders, Gloves, and Hosiery of all kinds at WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

BOYS GO TO WM. N. SMITH & CO'S FOR

YOUR SPRING CLOTHING.

Notice to Farmers.

FOR SALE by the subscriber, the latest improved lightest draught and best Mowing Machine in the world, and the new and latest improved Horse Hay Bale, Manufactured by the Kniffin Mowing Machine Co., Worcester, Mass. I will supply all extras necessary to repair said Machines. All wanting Machines will do well to call and examine the Machinery before purchasing any other. N. P. Leach, of Sheldon, is authorized to receive orders for the above Machines. GEO. W. KIDDER, Swanton, May 26th, 1868. 218-2w

NOTICE.

Whereas my wife, E. J. Dolan, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby forbid all persons trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date. MICHAEL DOLAN, St. Albans, May 25, 1868. 218-3w

BLACK DRESS SUITS OF EVERY KIND AT

WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

DEWEY, NOBLE & CO'S

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HARTFORD, CONN.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$4,833,543 39.

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NEW YORK.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$3,633,806 74.

HARTFORD FIRE INS. COMPANY

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$2,000,000 00.

INS. COMPANY NORTH AMERICA

OF PHILADELPHIA.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$2,000,000 00.

NIAGARA FIRE INSURANCE CO.

OF NEW YORK.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$1,500,000 00.

SECURITY INSURANCE CO. OF

NEW YORK.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$1,177,777 14.

LORILLARD FIRE INS. COMPANY

OF NEW YORK.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$1,500,000 00.

NORTH AMERICAN FIRE IN. CO.

OF NEW YORK.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$750,000 00.

CORN EXCHANGE INS. COMPANY

OF NEW YORK.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$500,000 00.

NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INS. CO.

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$500,000 10.

ROGER WILLIAMS INS. COMPY

OF PROVIDENCE, R. I.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$201,358 81.

GLENS FALLS INSURANCE CO.

OF GLENS FALLS, N. Y.

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Fire and Marine Insurance effected at this Agency in any of the above well known Companies.

Life Insurance.

THE MUTUAL LIFE INS. CO. OF

NEW YORK.

The Oldest and Largest Mutual Insurance Company in the United States.

CAPITAL AND ASSETS, \$25,000,000 00.

Life and Accident Insurance

Either separately or combined, at the lowest rates of Premium in the

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OF HARTFORD, CONN.

CAPITAL AND ASSETS, \$1,000,000 00.

All losses promptly attended to and settled at this Agency. Large Security, Fair Profits, and Prompt Payment. Insurance to any amount effected on the most satisfactory terms.

DEWEY, NOBLE & CO. Office corner Lake and Main St., St. Albans, Vermont. d14-4t

FULTON MARKET,

E. C. GALLAR, Proprietor.

I have recently refitted my market, which is supplied with the best of

Meats, Fish, Tripe, and Sausages, Dried and Smoked Beef.

AND ALL Table Delicacies of the Season!

Now on hand, a nice lot of

SUGAR CURED HAMS

AND—

FRESH FISH.

HALIBUT, MACKEREL, COD, CUSP and HADDOCK.

St. Albans, May 15, 1868. 5d-4t

Morton & Percy's,

clothing at Lake Street.

THE PIVOT ACTION BRACE!

A superior Suspenders for Shirts or Pants! An unequalled brace for the Shoulders. Always a Suspenders. A brace or not at pleasure. Its simplicity, durability, ease and convenience commend it to every Lady, Gentleman, or Youth. Examine for yourself, and be convinced that all herein stated is true. Prices, 75 cents, \$1 00, \$1 25, \$1 50. d14-4t

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FIRE, LIFE, ACCIDENTAL, AND LIVE STOCK.

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